

HE KEPT US OUT OF WAR!

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Stamp under the rooster.

It looks good, but do your part.

Go early. Don't wait to be sent for.

Don't forget that the polls close at 4 p. m.

Let no Democrat fail to vote for Bush.

Take your registration certificate with you to the city precincts.

Five men were killed in a labor riot at Everett, Wash., Sunday.

Of course Kincheloe's election is assured, but help to give him 5,000 majority.

The German occupants of Poland have issued a proclamation granting autonomy to that country.

A milk strike in Louisville yesterday cut off daily deliveries of 17,000 gallons by milk distributors.

Only 53 new auto licenses were issued last week, including 24 Fords. One was to G. W. Lacy, Hopkinsville.

The final show-downs made the Republican campaign fund \$2,012,532 and the Democratic fund \$1,310,729.

Wm. G. Bunce, aged 76, a famous painter of marine scenes, was killed by an automobile at Hartford, Conn.

The largest single contribution to the Democratic campaign in Kentucky, \$2,500, was that of the Courier-Journal and Louisville Times.

Roosevelt was addressed at Indianapolis as "our next Secretary of State." Mr. Hughes was present. That then was the Colonel's price.

The will of Mrs. Marie Zinsser, of New York, leaves \$10,000 to each of three granddaughters on condition that each can cook an acceptable meal before her twenty-first birthday.

Samuel Gompers issued a final address to workingmen Sunday saying: "In this campaign Woodrow Wilson stands for all that is true to labor, justice, patriotism, freedom and humanity."

The New York Herald's prediction based on a straw vote gives Wilson 307 and Hughes 224. It gives the Senate to the Democrats 50 to 46, and Congress to the Republicans by 220 to 215. The Democrats have 29 majority in the present House.

The government investigation is about to uncover a conscienceless robbery of the consumers of print paper. Manufacturers, publishers and others interested in news print paper will be given a hearing before the Federal Trade Commission, which announces that its investigations have shown the average cost of production during the first half of this year was less than it had been for years.

An official estimate that 60,000 negroes had been transported recently from the south into Ohio, Illinois and Indiana and other states was made by the department of justice in a statement declaring many of them had fraudulently registered. Among other election frauds disclosed, false names on registration lists in an unnamed city alone numbered thousands.

If you don't want to save the leaves for enriching the soil, the best way to get rid of them is to rake them up and burn them. Some cities prohibit the burning of leaves on the streets, but there is no better disposition to be made of them. It is an idiotic waste of public money to rake them up and haul them off in wagons, when a match would do the work.

CONFIDENCE DANGEROUS

Kentucky to Land Safely and Solidly in the Democratic Ranks Today.

MAJORITY WILL BE 10,000

Nine Out of Eleven Districts Are Certain to Return Democratic Congressmen.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 6.—"The tumult and the shouting dies."

The final rallies of both political parties in this state have been held, and the national campaign of 1916, so far as the presenting of their case before the tribunal of voters is concerned, already has passed into history.

The champions of Wilson—peace and prosperity—having put up a splendid fight, are confident of the result.

There is only one menace to democratic success in the state—overconfidence breeding apathy among the voters of the party. A warning against this condition has been issued in a statement by Campaign Chairman Cantrill.

SPECIAL PROBLEMS PRESENTED

The present campaign has not been without its special problems and peculiarities, furnishing the basis upon which numerous pre-election forecasts have been made. Probably never before have so many straw votes been taken, nor have they ever attracted more interest. This unusual interest is due in large measure to the fact that, by whatever means these straw votes have been taken, the trend has been shown to be almost overwhelmingly for Wilson. And there is no doubt but the democrats thereby have been aroused and enthused, which is so necessary in the winning of elections.

There is no reason for a change in the estimated democratic majority in this state of around 10,000, as made last Monday.

With a rainless day, which already is assured in advance, weather bureau forecasts, there may be a slight decrease in the democratic majority from the fact that fair weather always enables more voters in the mountain counties to go to the polls—and the mountain counties comprise the republican stronghold in Kentucky. The republicans have been "banking" largely on their efforts to secure an unusually heavy vote in these mountain counties where money will be spent with lavish hand.

But the result is not in doubt—the only question is in size of the democratic majority.

CONGRESSMEN TO BE ELECTED.

Neither will there be any change in the congressional lineup. The election of the following democratic congressional candidates is assured: Alben W. Barkley, Paducah, First district.

D. H. Kincheloe, Madisonville, Second district.

R. Y. Thomas, jr., Central City, Third district.

Ben Johnson, Bardonia, Fourth district.

Swager Sherley, Louisville, Fifth district.

Arthur B. Rouse, Burlington, Sixth district.

J. Campbell Cantrill, Georgetown, Seventh district.

Harvey Helm, Stanford, Eighth district.

W. J. Fields, Olive Hill, Ninth district.

The following republicans will be re-elected, both being in strongly republican districts:

John W. Langley, Pikeville, Tenth district.

Caleb Powers, Barbourville, Eleventh district.



FOUR TRAINMEN ARE INJURED

When Rear-End Collision Occurs on L. & N. North of City.

2 SOUTH-BOUND TRAINS

Dozen Cars Demolished and Track Torn Up For Some Distance.

A rear-end collision between two south-bound freight trains on the Louisville & Nashville railroad, at a siding about five miles north of this city Friday night about 10 o'clock, caused injuries to four trainmen, demolished several cars, tore up a long stretch of track and delayed traffic several hours. Both trains were to take the siding to let north-bound passenger train No. 54 pass. The first one was entering the siding when the second headed into the rear end. The caboose of the first train was wrecked, as was a car of horses just behind the locomotive on the second train.

E. W. Renfro, of Earlington, conductor, and Marion Ashby, of Madisonville, flagman on the first train, were in the cupola of their caboose, and they were hurled back over the second engine and through the break in the horse car. They fell among the struggling animals and came near being trampled to death. Renfro is badly injured, but will recover, and Ashby was severely cut and bruised.

P. W. Tuck, engineer, and J. L. Franklin, fireman, both of Nashville, and on the second train, jumped and escaped with painful injuries. All the injured men were brought here and given medical attention at the Jennie Stuart Memorial Hospital. Tuck was able to go on to his home the same night after his injuries were dressed. Two wreckers reached the scene in

a short time but it was about 9 o'clock Saturday morning before traffic was resumed.

One of the mules in the stock car was killed and several horses were more or less injured.

MRS. F. C. HILLE IS RECOVERING

Leaves Hospital For Home and Condition Is Much Improved.

Mrs. F. C. Hille, who recently underwent an operation at the Jennie Stuart Memorial Hospital, has recovered sufficiently to return to her home. Her daughter, Mrs. R. S. King, of Oxford, Ala., accompanied by her little daughter, is here and will remain with her mother for several weeks. Her daughters, Miss Marie, of Nashville, and Mrs. Percy Richardson, of Clarksville, the latter accompanied by her husband, spent Sunday with her.

NEW CLARKSVILLE CHURCH.

The contract for the new Baptist church at Clarksville went to the Foster-Creighton Co., of Nashville, at \$60,000. They are the same people who did the stone work on the new Methodist church in this city. The Forbes Manufacturing Co., were underbid \$3,500.

Will Starling Hero at Fire.

Asbury Park, N. J., Nov. 6.—Edward W. Starling and John G. Slye, secret service men attached to President Wilson's staff, took a leading part in rescuing women and children during a fire here Saturday at a local hotel. The two climbed ladders through dense smoke and carried several persons from windows. The hands of both men were burned.

There are 3,500,000 acres of land in Spain that are devoted to the culture of olives.

HEFLIN'S BIG ADDRESS

Saturday Night Immensely Pleased the Great Crowd.

IS AN EXCELLENT ORATOR

And His Speech Was a Fitting Close to the Campaign.

Congressman Heflin, of Alabama, closed the Democratic campaign here Saturday night in a great speech at the Union Tabernacle, which was heard by 3,000 people. He aroused the wildest enthusiasm when he made the prediction that barring unforeseen contingencies, the standard bearer of the Democratic party in a national campaign at no far distant date will be United States Senator Ollie M. James, of Kentucky. Congressman Heflin followed this with an eloquent tribute to Senator James as a man devoted to his native State, its interests and people, and who is one of the most stalwart champions of Democratic principles. He said Senator James stands closer to President Wilson than anyone, and that the President relies most on his advice and counsel.

He paid a high tribute to the unswerving loyalty of Congressman Dave Kincheloe, who was a representative of whom his district can well be proud.

Mr. Heflin is a most entertaining and graceful speaker. He held the close attention of his hearers for nearly two hours, telling about the accomplishments of the Democratic administration under Woodrow Wilson. Applause at times was deafening.

Following the meeting Mr. Heflin was a guest at a dinner served at Hotel Latham by leading Democrats of the city and county.

BOB AGAINST BOB

Which Will Be Elected Mayor or Is a Doubtful Question.

The race for Mayor between Robt. T. Stowe and Robt. M. Wooldridge, is in much doubt. They ran close together in the primary, Stowe getting 500 and Wooldridge 479 votes. The other three candidates received 600 votes in round numbers and on these votes will depend the victory.

It is idle to conjecture as to the outcome. It is a question of popularity. Both candidates are Democrats and no issue has been raised between them. Both white and colored Republicans are divided in their support and the attempt to inject the liquor question into the race failed, when it was discovered that the saloonmen themselves were divided in their allegiance. An uncertain feature is that only about 1600 votes were polled Oct. 21, whereas there are 2250 now registered. These figures show that 1200 or 1300 have not expressed themselves between the two candidates. The man who is elected will qualify at once and serve until January 1, 1918. The salary is \$50 a month unless the Courts decide that it can be raised to \$150, the salary paid commissioners.

Refuse to Bid.

The American and Imperial Tobacco Companies have notified the Farmers' Co-operative Tobacco Growers' Association that they will refuse to buy any portion of the pool of 30,000,000 pounds controlled by the latter organization, saying they prefer the loose leaf system in buying.

STILL AT DEADLY GRIPS

On Many Fronts With Conflicting Claims Made On Both Sides.

FRENCH MAKE GAINS

Not Much News From the Fierce Fighting In the Dobrudja Field.

London, Nov. 6.—Violent fighting continues to mark the operations in the region south of Gorizia, where the Italians are endeavoring to break the Austrian lines and advance on Trieste. Fresh gains have been made by the Italians on the Carso plateau.

On the Somme front and northeast of Verdun the French have again smashed the German front. On the Somme important gains have been made in the St. Pierre Vaast sector. Around Verdun French operations have led to the occupation of the entire village of Vaux and also the town of Damloup.

In the Transylvania Alps the Austro-Germans and Rumanians are still at deadly grips, with both sides claiming successes at various points. Berlin records the capture by Teutonic Allies of positions in the Prahova Valley, while Bucharest asserts that the pursuit of the Teutons in the Jiu Valley continues.

There is still no news forthcoming from the Dobrudja region of Rumania shedding light on the situation there. Both Constantza and Mangalia, ports on the Black Sea held by the forces of the Central Powers, have been shelled by Russian warships.

SAD DEATH OF LOVELY GIRL

Miss Sarah Abbitt Died at Versailles Saturday Following An Operation.

Miss Sarah Abbitt, only daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Geo. C. Abbitt, died at Versailles, Ky., Saturday morning, following an operation. Her parents had been with her for several days.

Miss Abbitt had for the last two years been a teacher in Margaret College. She became ill two weeks ago and an operation was performed on October 28th. She lingered for a week and gradually sank, in spite of all that the best of care could avail.

She was a bright and charming girl, a graduate of Randolph-Bacon College, the idol of her devoted parents and dearly beloved by many friends. She is survived by two brothers, Henry Abbitt, who is the chair of Latin in Bingham Military Academy, at Asheville, N. C., and Macon Abbitt, of this city.

The body arrived here Sunday morning and the funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Episcopal church, of which her father is Rector. The interment was in Riverside Cemetery.

Doubtful States.

New York, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Wisconsin and Michigan are among the States in what has been considered debatable territory confidently rolled upon by Democratic campaign managers in their pre-election statements. In Illinois, where probably a half million women will vote for President, the Democrats expect a majority of 150,000.

Forty Cents a Dozen.

A Lexington man bought a half bushel potatoes Saturday for 16 cents. The measure, counted, contained just thirty-six potatoes—a fraction away 43 cents a dozen.